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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Attorney Docket No: Q57966

Alfredo DAL PAN

Appln. No.: 09/512,815

Group Art Unit: 1725

Confirmation No.: 6697

Examiner: K. Kerns

Filed: February 25, 2000

For: CONTAINER-FILLING DEVICE FOR LOST-FOAM CASTING SYSTEMS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Final Rejection of December 23, 2002 to May 23, 2003.

A check for the statutory fee of \$410.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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